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Press Release

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Fee Tax Collections
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November 1997
Nevada Gaming Revenues and Collections

Win Revenue Summary - November 1997

Nevada's nonrestricted gaming licensees reported a total "gaming win" of \$622,611,837 for the month of November 1997. This amounts to a 8.94% increase compared to November 1996, when licensees reported a gaming win of \$571,543,841.

Regional Gaming Win - Monthly Revenue						
Area	Current Period		% Change	Fiscal Year-to Date		% Change
	11/1/97 to 11/30/97	11/1/96 to 11/30/96		7/1/97 to 11/30/97	7/1/96 to 11/30/96	
Statewide	622,611,837	571,543,841	8.94%	3,281,131,706	3,092,638,896	6.09%
Clark	494,983,594	443,101,786	11.71%	2,544,002,443	2,364,819,236	7.58%
LV Strip	303,608,332	263,600,163	15.18%	1,570,185,597	1,461,394,132	7.44%
Downtown	52,661,217	52,223,256	0.84%	278,967,681	283,855,708	-1.72%
North Las Vegas	13,598,400	13,573,224	0.19%	67,178,683	62,324,644	7.79%
Laughlin	38,578,238	38,431,734	0.38%	193,331,367	192,157,332	0.61%
Boulder Strip	37,547,919	30,549,313	22.91%	184,593,438	149,547,746	23.43%
Balance of County	48,989,489	44,724,096	9.54%	249,745,677	215,539,675	15.87%
Washoe	78,241,487	80,017,986	-2.22%	445,395,558	435,555,529	2.26%
South Lake Tahoe	21,720,422	20,232,190	7.36%	137,202,606	139,890,623	-1.92%
Elko	14,732,042	16,059,911	-8.27%	83,298,197	85,773,982	-2.89%
Carson Valley Area *	5,809,185	5,536,391	4.93%	32,886,166	31,864,248	3.21%
Other	7,125,106	6,595,577	8.03%	38,346,737	34,735,278	10.40%

* Carson Valley Area includes Carson City, Gardnerville, Minden and all other areas of Douglas County except South Lake Tahoe.

Win totals reflect the most recent data available and are subject to revision.

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Percentage Fee Tax Collections for the Month of December 1997

The State collected \$31,495,164 in percentage fee taxes during the month of December 1997, based upon the taxable revenues generated in November 1997. This represents a 6.72% (or \$2,269,959) decrease compared to the prior year's December (1996), when percentage fee collections were \$33,765,123.

On a six-month fiscal-year-to-date (July 1, 1997 through December 31, 1997), the State of Nevada collected \$219,171,364 in percentage fee taxes. This represents a 0.48% increase from the prior fiscal year six-month period when collections totaled \$218,127,533.

Statewide Percentage Fee Collections					
Business Period	Collection Period	Current Year FY98	Prior Year FY97	% Change	Year-to-Date % Change
JUNE	JULY	28,164,996	33,631,958	-16.26%	-16.26%
JULY	AUGUST	41,238,240	37,229,526	10.77%	-2.06%
AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	37,415,804	35,453,768	5.53%	0.47%
SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	42,514,078	38,739,947	9.74%	2.95%
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	38,343,082	39,307,211	-2.45%	1.80%
NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	31,495,164	33,765,123	-6.72%	0.48%
		<u>219,171,364</u>	<u>218,127,533</u>		<u>0.48%</u>

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